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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT : Analysis of NPIC Evaluations of Type I
Validation Missions

1. The attached NPIC evaluation reports were received at Headquarters on 27 October 1966.

A.	66 T 560	Camera Type I D
B.	66 T 584	" " I E
C.	66 T 617	" " I F
D.	66 T 627	" " I E
E.	66 T 635	" " I F

Previously, on 11 October 1966, an NPIC evaluation of 66T529 (Camera Type ID) was received by Headquarters and a copy was forwarded to []

2. The deficiencies noted in NPIC's evaluation are all of a minor nature. Most, if not all, of them can be eliminated by adjustments or "peaking up the system". [] and [] Type I Field Managers, were informed of the deficiencies via telecon on 27 October 1966 and were told to remedy these deficiencies ASAP. It is suggested the Type I Field Managers be given an opportunity to study these NPIC evaluation reports. The Perkin-Elmer home plant will also be notified of the need to clear up these items.

3. From a quality standpoint NPIC's reports indicate the ground resolution is equivalent to the best imagery evaluated from Type I camera systems. NPIC's overall rating of these missions was "Good". (See Attachment I for NPIC code.) Considering conditions under which this photography was taken, it is possible to state that the quality of the photography under optimum operational conditions would exceed that found in these validation missions.

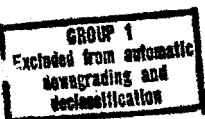
4. The undersigned recommends that Type ID, E, and F be considered validated and operationally ready.

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Attachment - 3

25X1A I - [] 50342-66, 24 Oct 66
(with 8 attachment)

25X1A II - [] 50311-66, 30 Oct 66

III - Part III. Image Quality

25X1A SSD/OSA [] :pca (28 Oct 66)

Distribution:

- 25X1A 1 - SSD/OSA [] wo/att
2 - D/R&D/OSA wo/att
3 - D/SA wo/att
25X1A 4 - D/M/OSA [] w/att
25X1A 5 - [] I and III
6 - SSD/OSA (Chrono) wo/att
7 - RB/OSA wo/att

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